

SRI M. MALLAPPA.—I have also visited the place. I will try to fill up the vacancies as far as possible. The Hon. member wants one Physician to be posted. There is no difficulty.

MR. SPEAKER.—Now Questions are over.

**QUESTIONS FOR ANSWERS ON THE DAY
(but not taken up)**

Primary Schools in Mulbagal Taluk

496. SRI J. M. REDDY (Mulabagal).—Will the Minister for Education be pleased to state :—

(a) the number of Junior Primary Schools in Mulabagal Taluk ;

(b) whether the government intend to sanction to start at least 15 Junior Primary Schools during this year itself as there is shortage of Junior Primary Schools in this taluk ?

SRI B. SUBBAYYA SHETTY (Minister for Education).—

(a) 181.

(b) The matter will be considered.

Construction of bridge across Doddahalla, Badkegudlu Village.

579. SRI N. BASAVAIAH (Chikkanayakanahally).—Will the Minister for Public Works be pleased to state :—

(a) the reasons for not starting the work so far though sanction has been accorded and tenders called for for bridge work across Doddahalla near Badakegudlu village, Kandikere hobli in Chikkanayakanahalli taluk :

(b) the reasons for not starting the construction work of this bridge though Minister for Public Works had inspected the spot previously and realised its urgent need ?

SRI S. BANGARAPPA (Minister for Public Works).—

(a) The work has been entrusted to the contractor after finalising the tender and fixing 15th June 1978 as the day of starting the work. Draft agreement in this regard is also entered into.

(b) Tenders for this work were invited number of times. Sometime no tenders were received. On other occasions the rates quoted in the tenders were high.

This was given up after deciding that this work should be executed through department or through K.S.C.C. Meanwhile, due to non-availability of size slabs near the work spot, the specification of the work was to be changed and finally tenders were called for on 26th January 1978.

Posting of Teachers in Schools in Varthur and Krishnarajapuram of Bangalore South Taluk.

645. SRI B.V. RAMACHANDRA REDDY (Varthur).—Will the Minister for Education be pleased to state :—

(a) the total number of schools directly run by the Government in Varthur and Krishnarajapuram Hoblies of Bangalora South Taluk ;

(b) whether required teaching staff is posted in those schools and if not, when they will be posted ?

SRI B. SUBBAYYA SHETTY (Minister for Education).—

(a) 62.

(b) No. There is deficiency. Required teaching staff will be posted soon after the reconstituted District Level Recruitment Committees start functioning.

Agricultural Credit Co-operative Societies in Chamarajanagar Taluk.

787. SRI M.C. BASAPPA (Chamarajanagar).—Will the Minister of State for Co-operation be pleased to state :—

(a) total number of Co-op. Societies handling agricultural credit in Chamarajanagar Taluk ;

(1) Sericulturists-cum-Farmers Service Co-operative Societies ;

(2) Service Co-operative Societies ;

(b) How many of them are defaulters ;

(c) how many Societies have become defunct ;